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I come in the other night Drunk as I could be There stood a horse in my stable Where my horse ought to be.

Now, my wife, my darling wife Explain yourself to me How come this horse in my stable Where my horse ought to be?

You blind fool, you crazy fool Can't you never see That's just a milk cow My granny gave to me.

I've traveled this wide world over I've been from shore to shore But I never saw a milk cow With a saddle on before.

Now I come in the other night Drunk as I could be There stood a hat on my hat-rack Where my hat ought to be.

Now, my wife, my darling wife Explain yourself to me How come this hat on my hat-rack Where my hat ought to be?

You blind fool, you crazy fool Can't you never see That's just a fryin' pan My granny gave to me.

I've traveled this wide world over I've been from shore to shore But a sweat-band on a fryin' pan I never saw before.

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Now, my wife, my darling wife Explain yourself to me How come this head on my piller Where my head ought to be?

You blind fool, you crazy fool, Can't you never see That's just a cabbage head My granny gave to me.

I've traveled this wide world over I've been from shore to shore But whiskers on a cabbage head I never saw before.